

GRAINS OF GOLD.

Good men are a public good.
Human laws reach not thoughts.
The more laws the more offenders.
He who buys office must sell justice.
Law governs man, and reason the law.
Laws catch flies, but let hornets go free.
The mob hath many heads but no brains.
Money is the abridgment of human power.
An ill man in office is a public calamity.
Be you ever so high, the law is above you.

A Temple of Health

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No, Maud, dear, a journal devoted to the interests of palmistry isn't, strictly speaking, a hand organ.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth.
Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, *Mrs. Wesslow's Soothing Syrup* for Children Teething.

"How did Binklers so easily win Miss Coldcash's heart?" "He sent her 13 roses on her twenty-first birthday."

Coe's Cough Balsam.
Is the oldest and best. It will break up a cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

The Wife (during a spat)—The villain in the play is always a man. The Husband—Yes, and it is always a woman who makes him one.

Pico's Cure for Consumption is an especially good medicine for Croup.—Mrs. M. R. Aven, Jonesboro, Texas, May 24, 1891.

He—You saw some old ruins while in England, I presume? She—Yes, indeed! And one of them wanted to marry me.

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"My wife is a wonderful woman," said Jarlev. "Give her time and a shoe button and, by Jove, she'll make a bonnet out of it."

MOTHERS

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Yours truly,
Cordelia C. Cottle

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Yours truly,
Mrs. W. C. BAKER

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TEACHING ANIMALS TRICKS.

How the Peculiar Ways of All Sorts of Pets Can Be Turned to Account.

The easiest way to teach a trick is to make a trick out of some little peculiarity of the animal. In this way you get ahead of him, so to speak. Careful watching of his habits will give hints of what can be done in the way of equipping him with tricks that will often seem surprising to strangers. It is also a way of giving an otherwise very stupid pet some tricks that could never be taught in the usual way.

A lazy dog, who liked above all things to have his back scratched, turned his head toward it. His nose was rather sharp, and it made him look as if he was pointing to the spot he wished scratched. His master noticed this, and each time the dog did it he would say quickly, "Show me the place." Soon the dog would do it the instant he heard the words, being rewarded with a scrape or two along the back. He got so that he would point to different places, his nose many times touching his back instead of merely pointing.

A cat that boxes was originally nothing but a playful kitten whose habit of striking with her paws at an outstretched hand was made into this very clever trick. The hands were moved in the motion of boxing, and soon the cat would stand up, making passes with either paw in exactly the same way.

In teaching these things always use the same word of command or motion. An animal soon learns. Goldfish that are accustomed to come to the surface of the water for food whenever a hand is held over the globe will appear to rise when whistled to, if a whistle is given each time the hand is there. Goldfish used to taking food suspended close to the water by a string can be taught to "ring a bell for food," and a most astonishing trick it will seem until visitors learn how it was taught. A string that will just touch the water when food is attached, is fastened to an arrangement that rings a small bell at the top of the globe whenever the string is nibbled at.

A canary's little ways may be converted into many interesting tricks. This bird will always peck and pull at a string left within reach. A little bell can be fastened just outside the door, a loop of string hanging inside. Once in a while let the bird out when it rings the bell, saying, "Want to come out?" By opening the door as soon as the cord is pulled, when showing the trick it will appear as if the bird rang the bell to get out. The habit of the sociable canary who chirps whenever anyone enters the room after a meal may be made into a regular dialogue. Say "Hello" always on going in. The bird's chirp will answer. "What do you want?" is the next question, a bit of food or green stuff being given after the bird replies. "What do you say for it?" will cause more chirps, which mean "Thank you."

It is said that a bird that imitates sounds readily can be taught to whistle a tune if hung before a looking glass and a music box with one tune be kept going a great deal of the time. The canary thinks the song comes from the bird in the glass and tries it too.

A dog or a cat that stands easily on its hind feet can be made to dance, if it has the habit of standing up for food. Hold the food directly over the head, and move it gently about, being careful not to cause the animal to lose its balance by holding it too far to one side. The animal will want to keep its eyes on the food, and to do so will have to step about, forward, back and sideways. As it gets more used to doing this the motion, which will look like dancing, can be made faster by moving the hand more quickly.

Any kitten will play with a string that hangs down. Have a rope with a knot in the end hanging almost to the floor of the kitchen porch. The rope is attached to one end of a balanced stick, a ball being tied to the other end. The kitten will probably play with the knot when she comes to the door. If she tries to come in without ringing the bell open the door and shake the rope until she catches hold of it, and thus rings the bell. Do not let her in until she has done this. It will be very easy to teach this to a cat that has been trained to catch at anything hanging down in front of it.

One of the funniest tricks ever taught unconsciously to a dog was done by taking advantage of his sneezing one day when tobacco was puffed into his face, as his master was smoking. This was done several times, until finally the dog would sneeze whenever the breath was blown at him, whether with or without smoke, or whether he was near his master or not. The gentleman would say: "Dash, do you feel a draught?" Dash, who always answered questions by a bark, would reply.

"Aren't you afraid of catching cold? There is a draught," said his master, blowing his breath out. At this Dash would sneeze, which never failed to make people laugh.

Not Consulted in the Matter.
"Do you let your wife have her own way in everything, Mr. Henpoet?"
"I suppose I would if she asked me, but she never asks me."

The best baking powder made is, as shown by analysis, the Royal.

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SCIENTIFIC BITS.

Coarse wrapping paper is made out of sunflower stalks.

A Maine woman recently shot a heron more than five feet in height.

The squirrel monkey has a larger brain in proportion to his size than any animal except man.

At sea level an object 100 feet high is visible a little over thirteen miles. If 500 feet high it is visible nearly thirty miles.

A thin parchment called "glassine" has just come into use as a protection to the covers of books. It is glossy and transparent and very durable.

Aluminum is now worth about fifty cents a pound. As recently as eight years ago it was \$3 a pound and a quarter of a century ago it was \$18.

Any plant, poisonous or otherwise, can be easily destroyed by being cut off just beneath the ground after the young leaves have pushed up and before they are thoroughly mature.

Scientists have determined that more than twenty terrestrial elements exist in the sun's atmosphere. Among these are calcium, manganese, nickel, sodium, magnesium, copper, zinc, cobalt, aluminum and hydrogen.

Professor Spencer computes the age of Niagara falls at about 32,000 years. It is now 8,000 years since Lake Huron emptied into Lake Erie for the first time. The land has risen about the outlet of Lake Erie, and if the present rate continues, in 5,000 or 6,000 years the waters of the four upper lakes will be turned into the Mississippi river drainage at Chicago.

First Boy—You're 'fraid to fight, that's what it is. "No, I ain't," but I'll fight you my mother'll lick me. "How will she find it out?" "She'll see the doctor going to your house."

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